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OUTLINES.

There was a mistrial in the Nan Patterson case at 2:20 o'clock this (Thursday) morning, the jury having failed to agree on a verdict——The Japanese report a rumor of the Russian fleet's destination but it is probably given out to mislead them——Chicago is in the possession of brutal mobs who commit murderous assaults on people without provocation; citizens, appalled by the situation, have called on the governor to send troops to save the city from complete anarchy; seventy or more people were terribly injured yesterday——Cashier A. B. Spear of the closed Citizens' Bank of Oberlin, O., confessed yesterday and was sentenced to seven years in the penitentiary for making false entries in connection with Mrs. Chadwick's deals——At Orangeburg, S. C., five lynchers will be tried next Wednesday, the sixth man having turned State's evidence——It is announced from Charlotte, N. C., that the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association has been invited by the International Cotton Congress to send delegates to the meeting of that Congress in Manchester, Eng., in June——Henry G. Goll, absconding cashier of the First National Bank of Milwaukee, was arrested under an assumed name in Chicago yesterday——In England yesterday Robert Rushton Shaw and wife committed suicide because she confessed to an intrigue previous to marriage——In Baltimore yesterday George G. Horst fired two bullets into his brain and although terribly injured he was alive at last accounts——Former Congressman Major W. M. Robbins, of Statesville, died yesterday at Salisbury, N. C——At Charleston yesterday the Southern Newspaper Publishers' Association elected as its president Editor J. C. Hemphill, of the Charleston News and Courier——The Alabama Railroad Commission yesterday began an investigation looking to a revision of the general railroad tariffs in that State——The boards of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, in session at Nashville, report the greatest financial progress in the history of the Church——New York markets: Money on call firm, 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., closing bid, 2 3-4; offered at 2 3-4; cotton spot quiet, 7.90; flour steady and more active; wheat barely steady, No. 2 red, 91 3-4 nominal elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 56 3-4 elevator; oats firm, mixed 33 1-2 to 35; turpentine steady; rosin quiet, strained 3.25 asked.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., May 3, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 65 degrees; 8 P. M., 68 degrees; Maximum, 74 degrees; Minimum, 65 degrees; Mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.93; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.93.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, N. C., at 8 A. M. yesday (Tuesday), 7.0 feet.

PORT ALMANAC— MAY 4.

Sun Rises	5:05 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:49 P. M.
Days' Length	13h., 37 m.
High Water at Southport	8:00 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	10:30 P. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday; fresh south winds.

Vice Admiral Rojestvensky wouldn't dare to risk a naval battle till all the college commencements are over.

A dispatch says a Kansas man has eloped with his mother-in-law. Some men always were prone to go from bad to worse.

The writers keep on saying that "girls are poems in the eyes of a man." We again reiterate our agreement that they are poems, for they are constructed on perverse lines. No man, however, is averse to a beautiful girl poem even if he has to try to read them under the most adverse circumstances.

"The Nan Patterson case will go down in history as the most celebrated case in which a man came to his finish through his infatuation with a woman," remarks an exchange. Geehum! This in face of the fact that Samson got on his ear about a hair cut at the hands of Delilah and pulled the joint down on himself and the whole outfit, thus furnishing an item that would have called for a box-car heading in ancient times as well as now.

Gov. Glenn is called upon quite as often as President Roosevelt to make speeches. While Roosevelt is out in the Colorado wilds we will take opportunity to say that there is more in what Glenn says than in what the President says.

Mr. J. M. Mangum, of Rock Hill, S. C., has purchased an interest in the Laurinburg Exchange, one of the State's esteemed weekly contemporaries. The Exchange is a staunch paper and we wish it continued success.

Mr. Robert E. Follin has purchased the Winston-Salem Daily Journal and will take charge of its editorial management. The Journal had been greatly improve under its former management, but we have no doubt that Mr. Follin will make of it one of the brightest papers in the State. He has done newspaper work in New York and has recently served on the staff of the Charlotte Observer, so that he brings to the Journal practical experience as well as brilliance as a writer. Success to him in his new field.

STRAWBERRY MOVEMENT

Estimated That 100,000 Crates Are Awaiting Shipment—Car Shortage Situation Becoming Intense.

The shortage of refrigerator cars throughout the strawberry growing belt has become very acute and unless the situation is relieved speedily it is estimated that claims aggregating $100,000 will be filed with the transportation companies for alleged failure to supply the necessary means of shipment. J. O. Carr, Esq., attorney for the East Carolina Fruit and Truck Growers' Association, was summoned to Chadbourn by the growers in that vicinity yesterday afternoon and he left immediately to look into the situation. Similar conditions, however, not to so large an extent, are said to prevail along the line of the W. & W. railroad and to some slight extent on the A. & Y.

A gentleman who returned last night from Chadbourn said that 40 cars of berries were stacked up around the depot there and that it is conservatively estimated that 100,000 crates are piled up at points south of Wilmington on the W. C., & A. road awaiting removal. At Chadbourn some of the berries left there Monday are beginning to mould. A large number of ordinary box cars are used for storage purposes along the line, awaiting the arrival of the refrigerator cars. Only five of the latter had arrived at Chadbourn at a late hour last night.

The growers are much discouraged and there is some feeling among them at being unable to move the crop. However, they are proceeding to pick the fruit and are taking them to the railway stations, where a bill of lading is received. The situation is really very grave, but as before stated the trouble seems to be beyond the Atlantic Coast Line.

The movement of strawberries through South Rocky Mount on Tuesday as reported by Business Agent H. T. Bauman, from the junction office of the E. C. T. & F. G. Association, amounted to 162 cars and 4,156 crates by express. Had the cars been obtainable the movement would have been much larger. Prices ranged in the various markets from 8 to 15 cents per quart. The distribution of carload shipments was as follows:

New York	43
Boston	26
Philadelphia	16
Pittsburg, Pa.	13
Newark, N. J.	8
Buffalo	8
Rovidence	6
Springfield, Mass.	4
Elmira	4
Cincinnati	3
Worcester	3
North Adams, Hartford, Erie, Utica, Syracuse and Montreal, two each	12
Wilmington, Del., Fall River, Scranton, Pa., Wilkesbarre, Troy, Rochester, Albany, Ansonia, Columbia, Pa., Auburn, Cortland, DuBois, Pa., Toronto and Schenectady, one each	16
Total	162

LOCAL DOTS.

—There were sales of spirits turpentine on the local market yesterday at 56 cents.

—The Alumni of the Wilmington High School will hold an important meeting at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

—Elder P. D. Gold, of Wilson, will preach at the Primitive Baptist church, on Castle between Fifth and Sixth streets, this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

—Those who are to take part in "Pinafore" are requested by Mrs. Harris to assemble at the Y. M. C. A. at 8:30 oclock this evening for an important conference. A full attendance is earnestly desired.

—By deed filed for record yesterday O. A. Wiggins, Jr., and others transferred to John M. Coin and wife, for $2,000, property on west side of Third, 50 feet north of Ann street, 35x66 feet in size more or less.

—Mr. R. T. Windley, agent for H. J. Spooner, Jr., advertises for an unlimited quantity of long-leaf, heart pine and cypress cross-ties; or he would be pleased to rent or buy standing or dead timber, near transportation facilities, for working ties.

—The Wilmington Piano Club will give another of its delightful recitals in the parlors of the Elks' Temple Monday evening at 8:30 o'clock. The club will be assisted by some favorite vocal talent and a delightful evening is assured.

—Raleigh Post: "United States Marshal H. C. Dockery returned yesterday from Federal Court at Wilmington. 'The movement of the strawberry crop is something marvellous,' said the marshal. 'The pickers have all they can do and children are making 75 cents and $1 a day.'"

Commencement at White Oak.

The Star returns with thanks through its friend, Mr. W. W. Woodhouse, an invitation from the faculty and students of White Oak Academy to attend the annual commencement exercises of that institution at White Oak, N. C., on May 18th and 19th, 1905. On the evening of the first day there will be a public debate of the query: "Resolved, That Women Should Have Equal Suffrage Rights with the Men." Messrs. J. A. Suggs and E. F. McCulloch, Jr., will represent the affirmative and Messrs. J. W. Burney and R. T. Melvin, the negative. On Friday at 10 A. M., children's exercises will take place and at 11 A. M. Hon. W. A. Stewart will deliver the literary address. At 2 P. M. the students exercises will be given and at 8:30 P. M. the annual concert will bring the commencement to a close.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING

Miss Minnie R. King, the Attractive Young Bride of Mr. Clifford S. Hopkins—A Reception.

In the presence of a large assemblage of friends and relatives, a beautiful marriage ceremony was celebrated last evening at the home of the bride's parents, No. 918 Market street, when Mr. Clifford S. Hopkins, a popular young business man and a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hopkins, of this city, led to the altar Miss Minnie R. King, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. King, and they were made man and wife in a beautiful service spoken by the Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of Grace M. E. church.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the bridal party entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin as skillfully rendered by Miss Ethel Hopkins at the piano. The ring service was used and the ceremony was one of the prettiest witnessed in a long time. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white crepe de chine over taffeta and was beautiful indeed. The groom and other male attendants wore the conventional black.

The party left the parlor to the gladsome music of Mendelsohn's Wedding March and a reception followed at which Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins received the congratulations of a host of friends. The popularity of the bride and groom was attested by the large number of beautiful presents and telegrams of congratulation received. The decorations of the parlor were palms and cut flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins will be at home to friends at No. 119 Church street.

RECESS OF CIRCUIT COURT.

Work of Term Completed Yesterday—Geo. H. Howell, Esq., Referee.

The United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District at Wilmington completed its work yesterday afternoon and a recess was taken until the adjourned term of the District and Circuit Courts, which wil convene June 19th, Judge Purnell, who presided at the term left last night for Raleigh. He will leave on Monday for Richmond, Va., having been designated as one of the judges for the District Court of Appeals which begins its sessions there on Tuesday of the coming week.

Court opened yesterday morning with a continued hearing of the case of J. C. Bornemann vs. the Steamer A. J. Johnson. It was held upon motion of Hon. Jno. D. Bellamy, counsel for the respondent, that the case had no standing in admiralty and the case was dismissed.

An order was signed appointing Geo. H. Howell, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, a referee in bankruptcy for the Fourth District, succeeding Mr. S. P. Collier, resigned upon his appointment as clerk of the United States Courts at Wilmington. Mr. Howell will have concurrent jurisdiction with Referee Samuel H. MacRae, of Fayetteville.

In the matter of the Builders' Lumber Co., of Springfield, Mass., upon petition, J. D. Judd was appointed temporary trustee to take charge of the property at Marietta, N. C.

Two bankruptcy matters were referred to the newly appointed referee for this district, Geo. H. Howell, Esq., and notice upon the same appears from official advertisement elsewhere in to-day's paper.

In the afternoon Judge Purnell heard in chambers a question of priority and insecurity of claims of J. L. Hines in the Bank of Dunn cases. D. T. Oates, Esq., of Fayetteville, and J. C. Clifford, Esq., of Dunn., appeared for the claimants, and E. G. Davis, Esq., of Godwin & Davis, Dunn, N. C., for the general creditors. The case was held on brief by Judge Purnell and the decision will be handed down later. The case involves about $3,500.

Chamber of Commerce Election.

The annual election of ojcers and the annual meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce will be held this afternoon, the former from 12 o'clock to 3 P. M. and the latter at 3:30 o'clock. The annual election of officers according to the constitution is by ballot and the poles will be open in the rooms of the Chember between the hours named. The election will be in charge of the regularly elected inspectors and members of both A. and B. classes will be eligible to vote. A plurality of votes cast will constitute a choice.

Davis-Driscoll Company.

The Davis-Driscoll Company greatly pleased another large audience at the theatre last night, presenting the sensational four-act comedy drama "A Noble Outcast," or "A Woman's Revenge." The specialties were a pleasing feature of the performance. Tonight ever popular "East Lynn" will be given a fine production and a large audience especially of ladies and children is expected. Saturday night will be "amateur's night" and a number of local thespians will take part. Prizes of $2, $3 and $1 are offered. The company's bill will be "Jessie James."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Adolph G. Ahrens—Pure Drugs.
Thos. F. Bagley—Masonic Meeting.
James F. Post, treasurer A. C. L.—Dividend Notice.
George H. Howell, Referee—Bankruptcy Notice.

Business Locals.

R. T. Windley—Crossties Wanted.
McClamb & Brittain—Baumeister Pianos.

GOVERNMENT IS INVOLVED

Exciting and Sensational Developments Yesterday in Change of City Administration---The Prospects for Harmony Appear Remote.

WILL HOLD ANOTHER MEETING THIS MORNING

Col. A. M. Waddell Formally Inducted into Office of Mayor at Afternoon Meeting, Five Members Refusing Attendance—Controversy Over Legal Points in Question and Fight May Be Transferred to the Courts—Attorneys Employed—Off For Clinton For An Injunction?

At an adjourned meeting of the newly elected Board of Aldermen at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon following a day of considerable turbulency in municipal politics, Col. A. M. Waddell, the regular nominee of the Democratic party at the primary on the 12th inst., duly qualified, was sworn in and assumed the duties of Mayor of the city of Wilmington, after which the five members of the newly elected Board took a recess until 11 o'clock this morning. Following the many sensational developments of the day, came the most sensational late last night when it was learned on the streets that Attorneys Bellamy and Meares, for the opposing faction had just left on a special train at 9:30 o'clock for Clinton, where it was stated they would appear before Judge Oliver H. Allen, holding Superior Court there, and ask for a restraining order preventing the exercising by Col. Waddell of any of the functions of Mayor until the controversy can be finally adjudicated in the courts. The train was made up of engine and one coach and was given right of way, it is understood, over all other trains. The special is expected back by daylight this morning and if the injunction is secured, it will probably be served at once. In the meantime the outcome is awaited with great interest while there is sincere regret that any such imbroglio should have been precipitated.

Scenes of the wildest confusion attended the organization meeting of the newly elected Board of Aldermen yesterday noon when the evenly divided factions came to a deadlock on the question of proceedure. Both sides were present with their attorneys—Eugene S. Martin and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs., for the faction elected on the Waddell ticket and Hon. John D. Bellamy and Iredell Meares, Esq., for the opposing faction. Despite a heavy downpour of rain as the clock struck twelve, the hour prescribed by law for the new Board to meet and qualify, the City Hall was crowded with eager supporters of both factions, the Waddell sympathizers apparently being in the majority. While the canvassing board was at work upon a formal declaration of the result in Tuesday's election, the opposing factions on the Board were in close conference in different parts of the building, the crowd in the court room meantime manifesting its impatience in various ways. While the two factions did not confer together, counsel for both sides passed from one to another and there were rumors of at least a partial agreement. Finally at 12:40 the Aldermen, classed as "Springer men," came in and took their seats to the left of the Mayor's chair and were very soon followed by the other faction, members of which took their seats on the other side. When the result of the election had been proclaimed officially by the canvassing board from the City Hall door, the Aldermen-elect arose and took the oath as required by law, the same having been duly administered by City Clerk and Treasurer King. Each then subscribed his name to the ordinances of the city and took his seat.

Alderman W. H. Yopp first gained the floor and said there had been a tacit understanding between all members, as he understood it, to qualify and take a recess until 5 oclock the same afternoon and he made a motion to that effect. It was seconded by several. Alderman Karr gained the floor and moved to go into the nomination of a Mayor. There was the wildest cheering at Mr. Karr's motion and when it had in a measure subsided, he continued by placing in nomination Col. A. M. Waddell. There was further prolonged cheering in the midst of which Mr. O'Brien and others seconded the nomination. When quiet was again restored Mr. W. H. Yopp arose and put his motion for a recess to the Board on a yea and nay vote, which he declared carried, whereupon Mr. O'Brien called for a division. Counsel for both sides began prompting their clients and in the confusion which followed, the faction led by Mr. Yopp retired. Mr. O'Brien said Mr. W. H. Yopp had not voted in the affirmative on the question, therefore it was five to four to remain in session. The confusion pervaded the entire room and Mr. O'Brien asked whoever had charge of the police to keep order in the room.

Upon motion of Mr. Karr and second by Mr. O'Brien the opinion of Mr. Eugene S. Martin was asked in regard to the status of affairs. Mr. Martin said he understood the vote for a recess was 6 to 4 and, if so, there was no recess. Five had seen proper to withdraw, leaving no quorum and he was doubtful if the five remaining could proceed. It was an off-hand opinion but he would look the matter up during the afternoon.

Aldermen Brown said there was a quorum present when the Board met and asked why those remaining could not proceed.

Mr. O'Brien asked if the five men who had just left, had the right to vacate their places. Mr. Martin said they couldn't be compelled to attend or remain but later said that he thought each of them put himself under a penalty of $1,000 fine for neglect of duty.

Mr. O'Brien asked Mr. Martin if there was then any Mayor.

Mr. Martin said off-hand from his recollection of the law that the Mayor was elected for the term of office of the Aldermen and that when they retire, he retires. In such cases in order that there be no inter-regnum it had been always the practice heretofore that one of their number be called to the chair and he would exercise that function until a Mayor is elected. In his opinion, the city was then without a Mayor.

Mr. O'Brien called upon Mr. Marsden Bellamy, who expressed regret at the turn of affairs and characterized the action of the retiring members as unwarranted and unreasonable. Mr. O'Brien asked when or how the Board, being without a head, could meet again. Mr. Bellamy said he thought the best plan would be to serve notice on the opposing side to meet at 5 o'clock at which meeting he hoped there would be an understanding.

The Afternoon Session.

At 5 o'clock, despite another cloud burst, the city court room was again packed and jammed with an eager crowd to watch the proceedings. The Waddell men were again apparently largely in the majority. Rumors had preceded the gathering that, acting upon advice of their counsel, the "Springer men" would not attend. A few minutes after the clock struck five, the "Waddell men" filed out of the Odd Fellow building where they had been in conference with their attorneys and presumably with Col. Waddell. When they came into the court room and took their seats inside the railing, a tremendous shout went up from their supporters among the crowd. Five members were present, viz: Messrs. J. A. Karr, Martin Rathjen, Martin O'Brien, J. O. Brown and W. W. King. After a wait of a few minutes during which those among the spectators exchanged pleasantries across the hall, the opposing faction failed to show up. Messrs. Marsden Bellamy and Eugene S. Martin, counsel for the sitting members, later came in and were also cheered. Alderman W. W. King at length arose and called the meeting to order and was subsequently elected temporary chairman upon motion of Alderman O'Brien. Police Captain Williams was called over the rail and lit the gas, as the room was dark. Mr. King arose and was about to state the object of the meeting when Alderman O'Brien noted the absence of a clerk and Capt. W. H. Northrop, Jr., Clerk of the Board of Audit and Finance, was asked to act in that capacity. He took his seat at the desk.

Alderman King, as temporary chairman, then arose and said as "our friend, Col. A. M. Waddell, received a majority of the votes of the Board of Aldermen at the session held this morning, that we at once notify him of his election and that he be requested to come forward and qualify." Another tremendous shout went up and Chairman King rapped for order. The point was made that before the five Aldermen had gotten out of the room at the morning session, Alderman Karr's motion to elect Col. Waddell had been carried.

Alderman Rathjen moved that a committee of two be apointed to wait on Col. Waddell at his office across the street, notify him of his election and escort him to the hall to be duly sworn in as Mayor of the city. Aldermen Karr and O'Brien were named, but before retiring upon the mission to which they had been appointed, Mr. O'Brien arose and said that he understood the five members present had been charged with making an agreement to meet during the morning, qualify and adjourn for a caucus at 5 o'clock. Mr. O'Brien said all he knew about any agreemnt was transmitted through counsel a few minutes before the meeting, but that no agreement had been made to adjourn the morning session for caucus in the afternoon before the Mayor, duly nominated at the primaries, was elected. Furthermore. Mr. O'Brien said that he saw no reason why there should have been any misunderstanding as Alderman Moore, of the other faction, had asked him on open Board at the morning session if they proposed to elect a Mayor first and that he had replied yes. He also said that since the morning session he had met Alderman Moore on the street and Mr. Moore had shook his hand and told him that such a conversation had taken place.

Mr. Marsden Bellamy, counsel for the sitting members, explained his negotiations with Mr. Iredell Meares, counsel for the other side, with regard to the agreement for a caucus and Mr. Bellamy said he knew of no understanding to defer the election of Mayor. Mr. Karr and others had declined to waive the right to elect a Mayor first.

Messrs. O'Brien and Karr then retired and reappeared escorting Col. Waddell, who was received with the wildest enthusiasm. Then it was discovered that the oath required for the qualification of Mayor was not at hand and copies of the same were sent for both to Col. Waddell's office and the office of the City Clerk and Treasurer which had closed at 5 o'clock.

While waiting Chairman King said that the other side could not pretend they had no notice as printed notices had been sent to each of them and he knew that they were fully aware of what was going on.

In the meantime Woodus Kellum, Esq., returned from the office of Col. Waddell with a copy of the city ordinance containing the oath prescribed for Mayor and it was taken by Col. Waddell with solemnity and dignity, Capt. Northrop, the clerk, and a justice of the peace, administering the same.

Col. Waddell took the Mayor's chair amidst great applause. He rapped for order and made a brief address. He said that it had been his intention to make a speech if all ten of the Board of Aldermen had been present and had proceeded as the law required, but ex traordinary circumstances had arisen which made it necessary to proceed without the absent members. He would, therefore, not make the speech he had intended. He was addressing himself only to the five members of the Board present and was not addressing the crowd.

He said he felt proud of his fourth election as Mayor of the City of Wilmington and expressed his sincere gratitude to the Democratic voters, who had supported him. He did not care to say anything more at present but would be heard from later. Mayor Waddell then rapped for order and reminded the crowd that a session of the Board of Aldermen was then being held and not a political gathering.

Capt. Northrop, the clerk, handed the Mayor, a communication from the Board of Audit and Finance, informing the Board of Aldermen that the law requires the tax listing to be done in the office of the City Clerk and Treasurer and that an election to the latter office be made at this term with that understanding. Mayor Waddell read the communication for the information of the Board, declaring the meeting open for business. However, the Board chose to transact no further business and upon motion of Alderman Rathjen, a recess was taken until 11 o'clock this morning. The crowd left the hall quietly, speculating upon what would take place on the morrow.

The following statement was issued yesterday by the five opposing Aldermen, as presenting their side of the controversy.

To The Public:

The undersigned state to the public, in explanation of their withdrawal from the informal assembly of the Aldermen to-day, that for some time past they have endeavored to cooperate with the other Aldermen in the customary caucus, and on yesterday, addressed them the letter which was published in the morning's papers. Each of us said to Col. Waddell after the primary, that he would stand ready to support and co-operate in making his administration a success, and each of us has no other inclination, and while at the time Co. Waddell reciprocated these assurances, he has yet, as we are informed by Messrs. J. O. Brown, W. W. King and J. A. Karr, invited and participated at his own residence a caucus with the other five Aldermen, to which the undersigned were not invited and since that caucus, all of the other five Aldermen have refused to enter into any caucus with us; besides, Col. Waddell, instead of seeking to avoid any friction between the Aldermen and as May, to avoid any allignments, has apparently co-operated with the other five Aldermen in their refusal to observe the time-honored custom of holding a caucus for the determination of differences, and upon the streets, in open conversation, several days ago, has denominated the undersigned representatives of the people as "recalcitrant Aldermen"—the gravamen of our offending being that we insist upon a determination of nominees to office in a caucus of the ten Aldermen, without his presence or his dictation.

On to-day, notwithstanding our letter to the other Aldermen was not treated with the courtesy of an answer, we made the proposition to the other Aldermen that we would go into a caucus, agree to drop Chief Furlong and Captain Williams as candidates for Chief of Police, and that in filling this office, no man should be nominated in the caucus not personally on good terms with Col. Waddell. This proposition was not accepted, but just before the hour for the new Board to meet, the proposition was made by the other five Aldermen to the undersigned that we would meet, qualify and adjourn by common consent until 5 o'clock. In the meantime, we were told that they would endeavor to bring about an acceptance of our proposition. We qualified and were in formal meeting, when we were informed that the other Aldermen would not stand to this agreement. Mr. Yopp stated that this had been agreed to and proposed an adjournment to 5 o'clock. Mr. Karr proposed to go into the election for a Mayor, whereupon the undersigned withdrew from the meeting.

We feel that we have done all that reasonable men could have done to prevent the condition which has arisen, and when the sole object of the other side is not to caucus, but to bring about an equal division between the Aldermen, so that they can control the offices of the city by the Mayor's casting vote, if we elect Col. Waddell at this time, we are justified as representatives of our wards and as Democrats, in not permitting an election until such time as we receive the consideration due our positions.

Respectfully,
E. F. JOHNSON,
R. W. PRICE,
W. H. YOPP,
W. E. YOPP,
P. Q. MOORE.

The Outlook To-day.

What shape the controversy will take to-day, no one is prepared to say. Col. Waddell will continue to exercise the functions of Mayor, but whether his authority will be successfully resisted could not be learned from the attorneys engaged last night. A majority of the Aldermen who refused to attend the meeting yesterday afternoon were non-committal last night as whether they would attend the meeting called for this morning. It is thought likely that they will not attend unless some agreement is reached.

In the meantime the public, regardless of which faction is favored, is chafing under the delay of harmony. The opposing faction declares the action of the other five in inducting Col Waddell into office yesterday afternoon as irregular and illegal, while the other side expresses equal confidence that the action was necessary, legal and that the courts will uphold the same. There is a conflict of statement as to whether the motion to elect Col. Waddell was put and carried at the morning session before the five members retired.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. M. P. Pegram, Jr., of Charlotte, is registered at The Orton.

—Mr. M. J. Grant and wife, of Conway, S. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. E. Redfern and wife, of Ocracoke, N. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. E. B. Wright and children, of Boardman, spent yesterday in the city, guests at The Orton.

—Representative C. E. Taylor, of Brunswick county, spent a "rainy day" in the city yesterday.

—Miss Charlotte Stryon and Miss Ethel Chadwick left yesterday to spend a few days with friends in Charlotte.

—Mr. J. J. Matheson, a prominent citizen of Bennettsville, S. C., and interested in the railroad development through that section, spent yesterday in Wilmington on business.

—Mr. Willie Tilley, pleasantly remembered here as former chief clerk in the Dixie Cafe but lately of Charleston, S. C., arrived in the city yesterday morning on his way to Asheville, N. C.

—Constable J. A. Meeder, of Council's, N. C., is in the city on a business and pleasure trip. It was Constable Meeder, who was shot by the Wilmington negro who recently resisted arrest by officers near Council's and was killed.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Nurnberger announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Julia, to Mr. Sanford Ambrose Haines, which will occur Thursday, May 18th, 1905, at the residence of the bride-elect's parents, No. 314 Ann street, Wilmington, N. C.

—Rock Hill (S. C.) correspondence Charlotte Observer: "Capt. D. K. F. Everett with his wife and two daughters has moved to this city from Charlotte, where he has been residing in the past. They are living with Captain Everett's son, Mr. J. Hawley Everett, on College avenue, in the northern part of the city."

—Mr. Carl B. Rehder returned yesterday noon from an extended trip including Pittsburg, Pa., where he attended the marriage of his brother, Mr. C. F. W. Rehder, Baltimore, Md., and Charlotte, N. C. Mr Rehder has recently spent a month or more in Baltimore where he studied styles and gathered new ideas in one of the fashionable dry goods establishments in the Monumental City.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE TRUE VALUE

Of drugs lies in their purity and not in their cheapenss—The Drugs we sell are both cheap and good. We will put up your prescriptions right and charge you right.

We have other things for sale besides Drugs. Lood over our sundries.

ADOLPH G. AHRENS, Druggist,
'Phone 644. 107 Princess St.
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Davis-Driscoll Company

All This Week With Saturday Matinee.

To-night the sensational four-act melodrama,

"East Lynne."

Saturday Matinee, "Ten Night In a Bar Room"; at the night performance, "Jessie James."

Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents. Seats on sale at Plummer's.
may 4 1t

ATLANTIC COAST LINE COMPANY.

Wilmington, N. C., May 3, 1905.

Office of the Treasurer, Atlantis Coast Line Railroad Company:

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company have declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that Company; dividend due and payable on the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 10, 1905. The transfer books were closed May 1st, 1905, and will stand closed until May 10th, both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST, Treasurer.
may 4 7t

Masonic Temple,
May 4, 1905.

Wilmington Lodge, No. 319, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent Communication this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock, for work in F. C. degree. Visiting brethren invited.

By order of W. M.
THOS. F. BAGLEY,
may 4 1t Secretary.

REGISTER!

your vow—orally or mentally—that you will smoke nothing but the Freeman cigar, and you will be certain of smoke satisfaction. You will only duplicate the experience of many hundreds—probably thousands—of smokers of this fine brand, retailed at 5 cents apiece, $2.00 the box of 50. Get the best by getting the Freeman.

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Well fixed in your mind, then you will "Get the Habit" of buying your Foot-Wear where you can save money.

Our C. O. A. System

Does the Work. By it we save the expense of a high priced book-keeper, and other extra help; besides all the other expenses that attend the Credit system—Our Motto—Not Cheap Shoes, But Good Shoes Cheap!

Respectfully,

MERCER & EVANS CO.

Bagging and Ties.

100,000 YARDS BAGGING,
3,000 BUNDLES NEW TIES.

Bought before advance. Write us or see our salesmen.

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W. B. COOPER.

NORTH CAROLINA BONDS

Bids will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday, May 10th, for all or any part of 250 North Carolina 4 Per Cent. eight year bonds, $1,000 each. Full particulars upon request.

B. R. LACY,
State Treasurer, Raleigh, N. C.
apr 18 6t—Thu&Sun

New Roe Herring!

Just received a lot of New Roanoke Roe Herring, Catch of 1905. First of the season.

Wilmington Grocery Co.,
Phone 14. John L. Boatwright, Mgr.
apr 18 tf

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Eastern District of North Carolina, S. S. In the United States District Court in and for Said District. Fourth Division.

In the matter of the Builders' Lumber Company (a corporation). Involuntary Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

To the Creditors of the Builders' Lumber Company (a corporation) of Marietta, Robeson County, North Carolina, and District aforesaid, involuntary bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd of May, 1905, the said Builders' Lumber Company (a corporation) was duly adjudged a bankrupt and the first meeting of cerditors will be held at Lumberton, N. C., on the 15th day of May, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

GEORGE H. HOWELL,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
may 4 1t

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Eastern District of North Carolina, S. S. In the United States District Court in and for Said District. Fourth Division.

In the matter of J. W. Joyner, surviving partner of the firm of J. W. Harrelson & Co., Involuntary bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

To the creditors of J. W. Joyner, surviving partner of the firm of J. W. Harrelson & Co., involuntary bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 2nd day of May, the said J. W. Joyner, surviving partner of the firm of J. W. Harrelson & Co., was duly adjudged a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at Whiteville, N. C., on the 11th day of May, 1905, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

GEORGE H. HOWELL,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
may 4 1t

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Thursday Morning, May 4.

RAILROAD BUILDING IN THE SOUTH.

The Star sometime ago called attention to the railroad building boom in the South and at that time we expressed the opinion that 1905 would show that three-fifths of the new mileage would be to the credit of the South. The progress in this direction attracts the attention of the New York Times which says:

"It is a fact of which the importance could not be easily over-estimated that more than one-half the new railroad mileage now under contract or construction in this country is to be credited to the Southern States. Here is a table recently compiled by The Railway Age showing the number of miles of railroad now actually under contract or construction, and also the number of miles planned or contemplated in the immediate future, classified under the heading of 'Live Projects:'

	Under Contract or Construction. Miles	Live Projects. Miles.
New England States.....	37	103
Middle States.....	455	55
Central Northern States..	681	651
South Atlantic States.....1,156		1,547
Gulf and Mississippi Valley States 1,100		802
Southwestern States 2,500		2,931
Northwestern States.....	628	1,243
Pacific States	933	2,000
Total 7,500		9,332

"It will be seen that the South Atlantic States have under construction 1,156 miles, the Gulf of Mississippi Valley States 1,110 miles, and the Southwestern States 2,500 miles, making a total of 4,776 miles for the Southern States, as against 2,724 miles for the Northern States. Again, it will be observed that 5,280 miles out of a total mileage of 9,332 under the heading 'Live Projects' are reported from the Southern States.

"There could be no surer evidence, not merely of the awakening of the South, but of the fact that it is industrially wide awake and undergoing remarkable development. It would be a matter of merely temporary and present moment to say that business in the South is now active and prosperous. The figures we have given of railway building in the Southern States are of much more far-reaching significance. Their plain meaning is that the South is advancing to a place of higher prominence in the country's trade and productive industries. For a variety of reasons all well known —slavery, the Civil War, the blighting years of reconstruction, want of capital, and 'disharmonies,' as M Metchnikoff would call them, in the adaptation of agricultural and industrial processes to soil and climate—the South has only slowly come to get her due share of benefit from the powerful impulses of growth and development which a quarter of a century ago began to do their work in the North. The Southern States have become rich from the sale of enromous crops of cotton at good prices.

"These conditions explain why the South now outstrips the North in the figures of new railroad mileage. As industries multiply and business increases transportation facilities are required. Moreover, alert-minded men in the South are already studying the effect upon the Southern half of the Union, and particularly upon the Gulf States, of the opening of the Panama Canal. That event seems a long way off, but not too far off to be reckoned with. Almost inevitably the creation of this new waterway, shortening by thousands of miles the sea route to the west coast of South America, to our own Pacific Coast, and to the markets of Asia, must build up an export trade of much greater volume than that which now exists. The great railroad systems of the Central West will naturally seek Southern extensions and Gulf port terminals to secure their share of the new trade. Some of the systems already have terminal facilities on the Gulf. It is not too early to be thinking about these matters, and when the canal shall actually be begun the plans of the railroads will quickly take definite shape."

North Carolina is figuring conspicuously in this progress of the South in railroad building. It is a fact that some of the proposed new railroads in North Carolina are based on the prospect of business to be created on account of the isthmian canal.

EDUCATIONAL AND INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS.

It is gratifying to note that in the various town and city elections in North Carolina last week wherever there was a proposition to vote taxes or bonds for school purposes, they were carried by large majorities. This shows that North Carolina has been thoroughly aroused to the cause of education, thanks to the campaign of education inaugurated by former Governor Charles B. Aycock.

A new spirit has really overtaken North Carolina in the matter of education. Any observer can note marked progress in the common school cause and the forward going of our higher educational institutions is conspicuous. It is recognized by outsiders, and this from the Richmond Times-Dispatch is evidence of it:

"The staff correspondent of the Baltimore Sun, writing from Columbia, S. C., where the Southern Conference for Education was recently in session, gives a review of the work recently done and now being done in the South in the interest of public schools. In substance he says that in North Carolina a State-wide agitation for education was conducted two years ago, and, as a consequence, the schools are being greatly improved and the State has a loan fund for the erection of new school houses. There are now more than 1,000 school libraries, whereas a few years ago there were practically none. Many of the districts have voted for local taxation to improve their schools. The new agricultural building at the Agricultural and Mechanical College, at Raleigh, is one of the finest of its kind in the country, while the new model dormitories and other improvements at the State Normal College, at Greensboro; the new buildings at the State University, and many other colleges, show notable improvements."

Let North Carolina keep up the pace set by Governor Aycock, the "educational governor." Governor Glenn is manifesting the same zeal and high purpose of Governor Aycock in behalf of education, and the cause is bound to go forward.

Governor Glenn was heralded as "the industrial governor" and he is showing us that he is going to be the educational and industrial governor.

It is glory enough for any North Carolinian to have his State pointed to as a conspicuous example in educational and industrial progress.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Col. Bryan is again urging the Democrats to get together. They should be disarmed first.—Washington Post.

—If those hostile fleets delay getting together much longer the audience will raid the box office and demand the return of its money.—Baltimore Sun.

—A new suggestion for keeping lobbyists out of Legislatures has appeared. The plan consists in putting them in the penitentiary.—Topeka State Journal.

—"Women are far less graceful than men," says Dr. Arnold, of New Haven. It takes a man chock full of dry scientific data to say such a thing as that.—Kansas City Journal.

—People who do not visit Wilmington often have little appreciation of its steady growth. During the past year three hundred and fifty-five new houses have been built in Wilmington

—Perhaps the Hague tribunal will get some business out of the growing international complications, but it looks as if the armor plate and gun factories will have the better chance. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

—It ought not to be forgotten that since the birth of the Democratic party there have been millions of sturdy and loyal Democrats who had never heard of the policy that is known as public ownership of public utilities.—Binghamton Leader.

—one for every work day and every Sunday except ten. That's good record for the metropolis of North Carolina. It does not "blow much" but by any test that shows progress and wealth, Wilmington stands well at the head.—Raleigh Observer.

—The President will strike Chicago on his return trip when conditions in that lively burgh promises to be more strenuous than anything brought to his attention by the grizzlies even at close quarters. There is promise of another anthracite occasion.—Philadelphia Record.

—The Republican party can bear with the utmost equanimity the statement from an expert witness that Bryan is the national leader of the Democrats. The coming battle in this country is to be between the socialists plan of government and the republican form which is now in existence.—Troy (N. Y.) Times.

—William Jennings Bryan has a fine large Presidential bee buzzing in his bonnet and it is very evident that William is making no strenuous efforts to shoo it away. Probably William likes to hear it buzz. At any rate he has engaged an editor for the Commoner, which will give him more time to sit in the sun and give the bee a good chance.—Gadsden (Ala.) Journal.

Terrific Race With Death.

"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa, Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters. So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt a like new man, and to-day I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store; price, 50c. ••

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. B.

Cleared for Action.

When the body is cleared for action, by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; the firmness of the flesh and muscles; the buoyancy of the mind. Try them. At R. R. Bellamy's drug store, 25 cents. ••

TWINKLINGS.

—Johnny—"Pa, what's an affinity?" Pa—"A person who later develops into a correspondent."—Cleveland Leader.

—"So the engagement's off?" "Yes; she advised him to practice emonomy, and he started by getting her an imitation diamond."—New Yorker.

—Slobbs—"Oldbach is a confirmed woman-hater." Henpecke—"How can that be? He has never been married, has he?"—Philadelphia Record.

—In some matrimonial combines the woman is the better half, and in some others she imagines she's the whole thing.—Philadelphia Record.

—Sillicus—"Wigwag is going to be married; have you congratulated him?" Cynicus—"Yes; I never did like that fellow, anyhow."—Philadelphia Record.

—"It's the things a man hasn't got that make him unhappy," remarked the Wise Guy. "How about the toothache?" suggested the Simple Mug.—Philadelphia Record.

—Miss Knox—I don't like her. She's forever talking about herself. Miss Wise (pointedly)—Well, that's better than talking about some one else. —Philadelphia Press.

—"Sunday," remarked the tired-looking passenger, "is no day of rest for me." "Ball player?" queried the other passenger. "No—leader of a church choir."—Chicago Tribune.

—"Rolling pin? Yes, sir; here's one made of glass; the latest thing out." "But, good Lord, man! that thing would probably break and cut my head all to pieces!"—Houston Post.

—"Old chap how is it that you've never married? Didn't you ever meet the right girl?" "Oh, yes, several times. But it always happened that I was the wrong man."—Washington Star.

—He (ardently)—"How sweet of you to let me kneel and kiss your hand." "I wouldn't if those horrid Joyce girls weren't gazing in here through an opera glass."—Town and Country.

—Hannibal was crossing the Alps. "Yes," he boasted. "I know Italy lies beyond 'em. A sweet girl graduate told me so." Armed with this information he marched valiantly forward. —New York Sun.

—The widower had proposed to the maid. "I hardly know how to answer you," she said, timidly. "Oh, don't let that worry you," he replied. "You'll learn before we have been married a week."—Detriot Tribune.

—"Why does a woman always add a postscript to her letter?" "Well," answered the ungallant wretch, "she probably figures out in her own mind what her letter has made you think and then tries to have the last word." —Washington Star.

—Hester—I'm sorry you do not like Mr. Speeder. He is considered a very nice man—unapproachable, in fact. Nettie—So I found him. I wonder that men who own automobiles are not more particular about fumigating themselves after riding. — Boston Transcript.

—He—I detest ragtime. She—I hate it! "Then why don't you stop playing it long enough for me to tell you that I—why don't you listen?" "I am listening—go on." "But I can't go on—to that ragtime." "Oh, dear! And this ragtime is the only thing that will keep Aunt Susan out of the room!"—Life.

—Corrupting—"Johnny," said the anxious mother, when the offspring made a remark more forcible than polite, "I want you to stop using such language.' "Why, mother," replied Johnny, "Shakespeare wrote what I just said." "Then you must not associate with him. He's no fit compaion for you."—Cassell's.

NEGRO'S GENEROUS FRIEND.

Booker T. Washington Eulogizes General Fitzhugh Lee.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Newport News, Va., May 2.—Dr. John Graham Brooks, of Harvard University, and Booker T. Washington, of Tuscogee Institute, were the principal speakers at the Virginia Day exercises of the Hampton Institute to-day. The latter in his remarks paid a glowing tribute to the late General Fitzhugh Lee, lauding him as a generous and sympatheic friend of the colored race. Dr. Washington expressed the hope that many more like the gallant and idolized Virginian would rise up to make the race problem less difficult of solution. He also declared that while a commonwealth might live with ignorant slaves it was impossible for a State to exist with ignorant freemen. He appealed for greater co-operation between the best elements of both races and declared that such co-operation in producing sentiment against lynching had reduced that crime from 205 lynchings in 1904 to thirteen in the last six months.

Dr. John Graham Brooks spoke on "The Fruits of Hampton," paying a glowing tribute to the work of the institution in lifting up the negro race to higher ideals. President Boatwright, of Richmond college, and President Blackwell, of Randolph-Macon college, also delivered addresses. The exercises came to a close with an address by Dr. Robert C. Ogden.

The commencement exercises of the institute will be held to-morrow.

APARTMENT FLATS.

Notwithstanding the number of houses lately built in this city, small families of moderate means are unable to find desirable accommodations.

Why does not somebody build two or three-story apartment houses?

In many towns of the United States, well-constructed flats containing five rooms, bath-room and modern conveniences, can be hired from $10 to $15 per month.

Of course, these are different from the dwellings in which several families try to live—holding some things in common. Each flat has its own appointments, bell and piazzas. Walls and floors are so substantial no ordinary noise can disturb tenants above nor below.

Garden space can be divided. Build a conveniently planned apartment house in good locality and rent it reasonably! B.

Arthur and J. D. Hooks, brothers, aged 11 and 8 years, were drowned near Cheraw, S. C., Tuesday while bathing with a party of boys. The younger boy got over his depth and his brother noticing it went to his rescue and both were drowned. The bodies were recovered and sent to Wadesboro, N. C., for burial.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 3rd.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Sales at 56c.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.50 for Virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $2.40; tar, firm, at $2.00; crude turpentine, steady at $3.25 @$3.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	40
Rosin	126
Tar	53
Crude turpentine	74

Receipts same day last year—9 casks spirits turpentine; 51 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 66 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market Steady 7.25.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—678 bales; same day last year, — bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representaing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c.; extra prime, 95c.; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c.; extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 85@90c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, new, 12@12 1-2c. per pound; shoulders, 9c.; sides, dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Dull at 14 @15c. per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Springs, 15@25c.; Grown, 30@35c.

TURKEYS—Dull at 13c. for live; 18@20c. for dressed.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5 1-2@6c. per pound.

PORK—Firm at 6@7c. net.

PEAS—White, $1.50@$1.60; clay, $1.10@$1.15.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@80c. per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3 1-2c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 3.—The cotton market was not so active as recently and showed rather a reactionary tendency with bull support less in evidence. The opening was steady with July one point higher, but generally unchanged to two points lower, which was about as due on disappointing Liverpool cables. The weather map made a generally unfavorable showing which encouraged bearish sentiment, and soon after the call the market increased its decline. Selling was restricted by the fear of bull support on any material break, but this did not appear to be forthcoming and the market during the middle session worked off to a net decline of about 8@10 points. This was followed by a partial recovery on covering and a little Wall street support but in the late trading prices again worked lower under selling by early buyers, and the close, while steady, was at practically the lowest of the day or a net decline of 7@10 points. Sales were estimated at 150,000 bales. Southern spot markets were officially reported steady and unchanged.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 7.90; middling gulf, 8.15; sales, 36 bales.

Futures closed steady. May, 7.46; June, 7.37; July, 7.43; August, 7.47; September, 7.53; October, 7.61; November, 7.65; December, 7.71; January, 7.75; February, 7.78; March, 7.83.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 6,370 bales.

New Orleans—Easy, 7 7-16c.; net receipts, 7,271 bales.

...obile—Steady, 7 1-2c.; net receipts, 126 bales.

Savannah—Quiet, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 3,871 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 666 bales.

Wilmington—Steady, 7 3-8c.; net receipts, 678 bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 2,074 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 7 7-8c.; net receipts, 675 bales.

New York—Quiet, 7.90; net receipts, 640 bales.

Boston—Quiet, 7.90; net receipts, 301 bales.

Philadelphia—Steady, 8.15; net receipts, 65 bales.

Pensacola—Net receipts, 350 bales.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 12,427 bales.

Jacksonville—Net receipts 140 bales.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 35,654 bales; Great Britain, 7,582 bales; Continent, 2,530 bales; Japan, 12,467 bales; Stock, 668,230 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 109,914 bales; Great Britain, 36,913 bales; Continent, 66,585 bales; Japan, 12,527 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 8,636,828 bales; Great Britain, 3,210,647 bales; France, 694,417 bales; Continent, 2,765,403 bales; Japan, 213,246 bales; Mexico, 28,472 bales.

Port Movement.

Houston—Quiet, 7 5-8c.; net receipts, 6,743 bales.

Augusta—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 633 bales.

Memphis—Firm, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 761 bales.

St. Louis—Steady, 7 11-16c.; net receipts, 200 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 495 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 7 3-4c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, May 3.—Cotton—Spot in moderate demand, prices three points higher. American middling fair 4.78d.; good middling, 4.46d.; middling, 4.30d.; low middling, 4.14d.; good ordinary, 3.96d.; ordinary, 3.80d.

The sales of the day were 7,000 of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,500 American. Receipts 9,000 bales including 2,600 American.

Futures opened steady and closed easy; American middling G. O. C: May, 4.09d.; May and June, 4.09d.; June and July, 4.11d.; July and August, 4.13d.; August and September, 4.15d.; September and October, 4.16d.; October and November, 4.17d.; November and December, 4.18d.; December and January, 4.19d.; January and February, 4.20d.; February and March, 4.21d.; March and April, 4.22d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 3.—Money on call firm, 2 3-4@3 per cent, closing bid, 2 3-4; offered at 2 3-4. Time money slightly easier; sixty days and ninety days, 3 1-4@3 1-2; six months, 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3 3-4@4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers bills at 486.35@486.40 for demand and at 484.40@484.45 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485 1-2 and 487@487 1-2. Commercial bills, 484 1-4. Bar silver, 56 7-8. Mexican dollars, 44 1-2.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s. reg.	104 1-2
U. S. refunding 2s con.	104 5-8
U. S. 3s. reg.	104
U. S. 3s cou.	104 1-4
U. S. 4s reg.	132
U. S. 4s new cou.	132
U. S. 4s Old reg.	104
U. S. Old cou.	104 1-2
American Tobacco 4s cert	73 3-4
American Tobacco 6s cert	113 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	102 1-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	103 7-8
Seaboard Air Line 4s (bid)	85 1-4
Southern Railway 5s	119
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	94 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Atlantic Coast Line	154
Baltimore & Ohio	105 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	96
Chesapeake & Ohio	49 3-4
Louisville & Nashville	145 1-2
Manhattan L	163
Mexican Central	21 3-8
New York Central	142 3-8
Norfolk & Western	77 1-2
Norfolk & Western, pfd	91
Pennsylvania	139 5-8
Reading	93 1-4
Reading, 1st pfd	91 1-2
Reading, 2d pfd	85
Southern Pacific	59 7-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	117 1-8
Southern Railway	30 1-2
Southern Railway, pfd	96
American Sugar Refining	136 7-8
American Tobacco, pfd cert.	96 5-8
People's Gas	103 3-4
U. S. Steel	31 7-8
U. S. Steel, pfd	100 1-4
Amalgamated Copper	80 3-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	82
Va.-Car. Chemical	35
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	105
S. A. L. com	18 to 19
S. A. L., pfd	38 to 39
Standard Oil	623
Western Union	93

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, May 3.—Influenced by the bearish tenor of the present crop, wheat closed easy here to-day. Final quotations on July were off 1-8c. Corn is unchanged. Oats are down 1-4@3-8c. Provisions are up 2 1-2to 7 1-2c.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, No. 2.—				
May	91¾	93⅝	91¾	92
July	83¾	84½	83¾	83⅝
Sept.	79⅝	80¼	79⅝	79⅝
Corn, No. 2.—				
May	29⅝	29⅞	29¼	29¼
July	46¾	47⅜	46¾	46⅞
Sept.	46¾	47⅛	46⅝	46⅝
Oats, No. 2.—				
May	29⅝	29⅞	29¼	29⅜
July	29½	29⅝	28⅞	28⅞
Sept.	28¼	28¼	27⅜	27⅞
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	11.85	11.90	11.85	11.90
July	12.20	12.35	12.20	12.20
Sept	12.37½	12.52½	12.37½	12.40
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	7.07½	7.10	7.07½	7.07½
July	7.25	7.30	7.25	7.27½
Sept	7.42½	7.47½	7.42½	7.42½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	6.95	6.95	6.90	6.92½
July	7.20	7.27½	7.20	7.22½
Sept	7.42½	7.47½	7.42½	7.42½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 92@96; No. 3 spring wheat, 85@96; No. 2 red, 91 3-4@95 5-8; No. 2 corn, 49 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-4; No. 2 oats, 29 3-8; No. 2 white, 32 1-2; No. 3 white, 30 3-4@32 1-4; No. 2 rye, 73; Mess Pork, per bbl., 11.85@11.90; Lard, per 100 lbs, 7.07 1-2; Shore ribs sides (loose), 6.87 1-2@7.00; Short clear sides (boxed), 7.00@7.12 1-2; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.23.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, May 3.—FLOUR—Steady and more active.

RYE FLOUR—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot barely steady; No. 2 red, 91 3-4 nominal elevator. Options rather weak and partly 1-2c. lower. May, 93 7-8; July, 88 7-8; September, 83 3-4.

CORN—Firm; No. 2, 56 3-4 elevator. Options unchanged to 1-4 net lower; May, 52 7-8; July, 52 1-4.

OATS—Firm; mixed 34 1-2@35.

LARD—Easy; western steamed, 7.30; refined quiet.

PORK—Quiet.

TALLOW—Easy; city 4 1-2; country, 4 1-2@4 3-4.

COTTON SEED OIL—Moderately active at easier prices; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 20@20 1-2; prime summer yellow 26 1-4@26 1-2; off summer yellow nominal; prime white, 29@29 1-2; prime winter yellow, 29 1-2@30.

POTATOES—Easy; Florida new, 2@4.25; State and Western .75@1.00; Jersey sweets, 2.50@4.00.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4@5 1-2; other domestic, 3 1-4@5 1-2.

CABBAGES—Easy; Charleston per barrel crate, .75@1.25.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 10@14.

RICE—Firm.

MOLASSES—Firm.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7 7-8; mild steady; Cordova, 10@13. Futures closed steady to 10 points higher.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair rening, 4; centrifugal 96 test, 4 5-8; molasses sugar, 3 3-4.

BUTTER—Firm, unchanged.

CHEES—Firm, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm, nearby selected, 20@21; Southerns, 15 1-2@16.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, May 3.—Turpentine steady; rosin quiet, strained 3.25 asked.

Charleston, May 3.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

Savannah, May 3.—Turpentine firm, 56 1-4; receipts, 643; sales, 203; shipments, 50.

Rosin firm; receipts, 1,588; sales, 1,151; shipments, 155. A. B. C., 2.95; D., 3.00; E., 3.10; F., 3.15; G., 3.20; H., 3.35; I., 3.40; K., 3.70; ..., 3.75; N., 3.80; W. G., 3.85; W. W., 4.05.

MARINE.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 3, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—113 bales cotton, 4 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 12 bareris crude turpentine.

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A. & Y. Railroad—81 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 5 bareris rosin, 1 barrel tar.

W. & N. Railroad—28 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels tar, 18 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Alice—20 casks spirits turpentine, 41 barrels rosin, 13 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—678 bales cotton, 40 casks spirits turpentine, 126 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar, 74 barrels crude turpentine.

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Carrie A. Bucknam, 235 tons, Torrey, C. D. Mafftt.

Edwina, 489 tons, Cavileer, C. D. Mafftt.

Election Notice!

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1905 Session, entitled, "An Act to Empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to Issue Bonds for Road Improvements," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call, and give notice of, an election to be held by the qualified electors of New Hanover County, on Wednesday June seventh (7), 1905, to determine whether New Hanover shall issue Fifty Thousand dollars ($50,000.00) of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, constructing and improving the public roads in said County.

At said election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written, or printed, on them, "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," or, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County," and all qualified electors, who are opposed to the issue of said bonds, shall vote, "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads of the County."

For the purposes of this election, as authorized by said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered and do hereby order a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several Townships and Wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of Election in said several Townships and Wards, to wit:

Cape Fear Township.

Polling Place—Blossom's Store, Castle Haynes.

Registrar—R. N. Sweet.

Judges of Election—R. W. Boardeaux and J. H. Johnston.

Harnett Township—First Division.

Polling Place—Delgado Store.

Registrar—W. H. Pittman.

Judges of Election—T. J. Kenan and George W. Rogers.

Harnett Township—Second Division.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—C. H. Alexander.

Judges of Election—W. B. Canady and J. Robert Parker.

Masonboro Township.

Polling Place—Township House.

Registrar—D. J. Fergus.

Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and Henry Melton.

Federal Point Township.

Polling Place—Capps Store.

Registrar—John A. Biddle.

Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hill Williams.

Wilmington Township—First Ward.

Polling Place—First Ward Hose Reel House, near Fourth-Street Bridge.

Registrar—F. T. Skipper.

Judges of Election—J. D. Mote, G. H. Heyer.

Wilmington Township—Second Ward.

Polling Place—Old Court House.

Registrar—P. Heinsberger, Sr.

Judges of Election—M. O'Brien and J. C. Springer.

Wilmington Township—Third Ward.

Polling Place—Giblem Lodge.

Registrar—A. G. Hankins.

Judges of Election—H. L. Fennell and George P. Cotchett.

Wilmington Township—Fourth Ward.

Polling Place—Worth's Ice House.

Registrar—George D. Parsley.

Judges of Election—L. M. LeGwin and W. A. French, Jr.

Wilmington Township—Fifth Ward.

Polling Place—Old Hook and Ladder House.

Registrar—T. G. Landen.

Judges of Election—B. M. Wilson and James H. Burriss.

The Registration books of each Township, Ward and Precinct will be kept open between the hours of Nine o'clock, A. M. and sunset on each day, Sunday excepted, for twenty days, beginning May 4th, 1905, for the Registration of electors; that the said books will be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before said election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1905, that on Sautrday the 6th day of May, 1905, and on the 13th, 20th and 27th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the Registrars will attend with their registration book at the polling places of their respective townships, wards or precincts for the registration of voters. The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective township, wards or precincts with the registration books on Saturday preceding the election, to-wit, the 3rd day of June, 1905, from the hour of Nine o'clock, A. M. till the hour of Three o'clock, P. M., when and where the said books will be opened for the inspection of the electors of said Township, ward and precinct and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This the 1st day of May, 1905.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

D. McEACHERN, Chairman.

W. H. BIDDLE, Clerk.

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Resources:		Liabilities.	
Loans and Discounts	$ 950,197 95	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	143,706 81
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	265,000 00
Cash on hand and in banks	674,884 39	Deposits	1,291,375 53
Total	$2,000,082 34	Total	$2,000,082 34

Comparative statement of deposits.
March 14th, 1901, $411,594 05. March 14th, 1903, $1,251,056 66. March, 14th, 1905, $1,291,875 53.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Mayor Doane Herring was re-elected at Wilson on Monday.

—At the election in Morganton on Monday the wet ticket beat the dispensary ticket by a 49 majority. A bond issue for sewerage was vote by 209 majority.

—On Monday at Lumberton the municipal officers elected for the ensuing year were I. B. Townsend, mayor; J. H. Wishart, T. Kinlaw, W. O. Thompson and A. P. Calwell, aldermen.

—At Wilson Charlie Hines, an old negro who had been hoarding money for a number of years, and had $430 buried under a chicken coop, has lost the entire amount, it having been stolen.

—The municipal election at Dunn on Monday resulted in the election of E. Lee as mayor, and an overwhelming vote in favor of issuing $10,000 in bonds to discharge the floating debt of the town.

Fayetteville Observer: "The Fayetteville lettuce season is about over The shipments this season from this point were fully 25 per cent. more than last season, though the prices were hardly as good."

—On Monday Beaufort voted a bond issue by an overwhelming majority for the purchase of a site for a hotel to be donated to some person, firm or corporation who will construct and maintain a modern hotel. Beaufort is moving forward and is on a boom.

—Ed. Speagle of Morganton, the 13-year-old boy, who killed his brother last fall, has, by order of Judge McNeil and the approval of Solicitor Spainhour, been committed to the care of the North Carolina Children's Home Society, of which Mr. William B. Streeter, of Greensboro, is president.

—At Raleigh on Tuesday an insane woman entered the Edenton-Street Methodist church while the choir was practicing and badly frightened the choir. She assumed charge of the music and the choir sang as she commanded. Finally the mysterious woman withdrew without offering any violence.

—In the municipal election held at Durham Monday, Paul C. Graham, Durham Monday, P. C. Graham, nominee of the citizens' ticket won over Capt. J. F. Freeland the present mayor, nominee of the Anti-Saloon League, by a majority of 108. The bond issue of $50,000 for the erection of a high school building carried by a large majority.

—The proposition for Winston-Salem to issue bonds to the amount of $37,500 for the building of an electric railway between that city and High Point, a distance of twenty miles, was carried by a handsome majority in the election last Monday. High Point has already raised $37,500. The promoters of the road say that work on it will begin at once.

—Charlotte Chronicle: —The newly chartered Moffatt Machinery Company means another iron working mill for Charlotte and calls to mind the fact that the iron manufacturing interests of this city have attained an importance second only to that of cotton manufacturing. The iron works of the city turn out all classes of manufacture from cast iron pipe to cotton mill machinery.

—Charlotte News: A movement has been set on foot to have a reunion of Richmond county people at Rockingham some time during the summer, and the 4th of July is suggested as a suitable date. The sons and daughters of old Richmond are scattered all over the United States and it doubtless would be a delightful opportunity for many of them to return to the home of their nativity and renew the acquaintances of bygone days.

Postoffice robbers have become active again in the western part of the State. Some time between midnight and day Saturday the safe in the office at Sylva and that in the store of Marcus Buchanan were blown open and rifled. About $300 in money and stamps was secured by the robbers. There is no clue as to the identity of the robbers. Little loss was suffered by Mr. Buchanan.

—Raleigh News and Observer. When the Tarboro police raided a gambling house in Tarboro Saturday night they found forty negro men. The Southerner says: "Lying about the room were at least 25 or 30 revolvers," Forty negroes playing cards and twenty-five or thirty revolvers "lying about." Nothing was lacking for murder there except an offensive word or a blow.

—At Raleigh on Tuesday the Secretary of State chartered the Parker Company, of Melrose, Pitt county, with $10,000 authorized and $4,000 paid in capital stock. The objects of the concern being to operate gins, sawmills, grist mills and oil mills, and do a general merchandise business. The incorporators are R. H. Parker, C. L. Parker and T. E. Parker, of Greenville, and G. A. Stancill, of Hillsboro.

—It has been called to the attention of the people of the State that they pay two and a half million dollars insurance to insurance companies outside the State. This is a tremendous drain on the finances of the State considering the sums sent out to northern markets for much of everything else we use. It is no wonder we some times feel a financial strain. The moral is to keep your money at home in home investments.

—An election has been called in Greensboro for a vote on a $125,000 bond issue for school extension and water completion facilities. Fifty thousand is wanted to build and equip a new High school department and building on a most valuable lot purchased by the city for that purpose a year ago. The other seventy-five thousand is for the purpose of completing the new water line to Reedy Fork Creek, which will give the city enough pure water for a population of 150,000 in abundance for every purpose.

—The Wachovia Loan and Trust Company of Winston-Salem on Monday purchased at Marshall $90,000 worth of Madison county 5 per cent. thirty year bonds, the officials of this institution having made the highest bid for the issue, a premium of $5,875 making a rate of 6 1-2 per cent. There were several bidders. The bonds were sold by the county commissioners under an act of the Legislature for the purpose of paying off the county's indebtedness and the building of a new jail. The selling of the Madison county bonds will be of interest to many Asheville people in view of the fact that $20,000 of the money derived from the sale of the bonds will immediately be turned over to the receiver of the Western Carolina Bank to pay the amount due that defunct institution by Madison county.

—Charlotte Observer: Contractor Propst will leave on the 10th of this month for the eastern part of the State, where he goes to make a preliminary survey of the new road that is to be built from Nashville to Castalia, in Nash county. This road, which from the present is only 10 miles in length, will be begun at once. The plans of the promoters call for an extension at some future date from Nashville west to Louisburg, a distance of 17 miles, and north to Warrenton, a distance of some 25 miles. The section through which the proposed road will run, embraces the counties of Warren, Halifax, Vance, Franklin Nash and portions of Wake, Johnson and Wilson, a territory of 2,400 square miles, that is almost destitute of railway facilities. A great railroad mass meeting will be held in Castalia on May 13th, at which time Contractor Propst will report on the most feasible route to be followed. A number of speakers have been invited to address this meeting and are expected to be present. The present movement is by no means a recent one. A number of propositions have already been made, the Atlantic Coast Line for the construction of the road, but none of these have met with any degree of favor. Within the past year the movement has been revived and the details are rapidly taking shape. The road will connect a branch of the Atlantic Coast Line that runs from Rocky Mount to Springhope. The territory is such that the line may be completed rapidly and every indication points to the completion of the new road at an early date.

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CHARLOTTESVILLE VA.,—Summer School of Methods, June 27th to August 6th.

BALTIMORE, MD.—United Society Christian Endeavor International Convention, July 6th to 16th.

WRIGHTSVILLE, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th to 21st.

HOT SPRINGS, VA.—Southern Hardware Jobbers Association and American Hardware Manufacturers' Association, June 6th to 9th.

OXFORD, Miss.—Summer School University of Mississippi.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Summer School Institute, July 17th to August 5th.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Women's Congress, August 1st to 15th.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Peabody College School, Vanderbilt Biblical Institute, June 14th to August 9th.

TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—Summer School for Teachers, June 16th to July 28th.

KNOXVILLE, TENN. — Summer School, June 20th to July 28th.

MOUNT EAGLE, TENN.—Mount Eagle Bible Training School, July 23rd to August 15th.

RICHMOND, VA.—Farmers' National Congress, September 12th to 27th.

ST. LOUIS, MO.—National Baptist Anniversary, May 16th to 24th.

SAVANNAH, GA.—Fourth Annual Tournament Southern Golf Association, May 9th to 13th.

KANSAS CITY, MO.—Southern Baptist Convention, May 10th to 17th.

SAVANNAH, GA.—National Travelers' Protective Association of America, May 16th to 23rd.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Southern Atlantic Missionary Conference, May 17th to 21st.

FORT WORTH, Texas.—General Assembly of Southern Presbyterian Church, May 18th to 24th.

ATLANTA, GA.—National Association of Manufacturers, May 16th to 18th.

ATHENS, GA.—Summer School, June 27th to July 28th.

PORTLAND, ORE.—Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, June 1st to October 15th.

PORTLAND, ORE.—American Medical Association, July 11th to 14th.

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They will leave Raleigh on the Seaboard train No. 41 at 4:00 P. M. or 7:00 P. M., May 9th, joining the Georgia delegation at Atlanta, who will leave Atlanta on special train at 1:00 P. M., May 10th, provided the number justifies it, if not, will leave Atlanta on the N. C. & St. L. at 8:35 A. M.

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Weather Conditions Favorable for Cotton Planting in the Belt.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, May 2.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions says:

Over the eastern portion of the cotton belt the weather conditions have been favorable for cotton planting, which is nearing completion in the more southerly districts, good stands being generall indicated.

In the central and western districts planting is much delayed, less than half of the area having been planted in Louisiana and Oklahoma and Indian Territories, only about one half in Northern Mississippi, and very little in Arkansas, practically nome being up in the last mentioned State. In northern central, and eastern counties of Texas, much of the cotton area remains unplanted and much cotton land in both Texas and Louisiana has been badly washed out by rains, and extensive re-planting will be necessary. Over the southwestern part of the cotton area in Texas cotton is generally doing well and chipping and cultivation are in press.

Transplanting tobacco is nearly finished in South Carolina and has begun in North Carolina. Plants are generall plentiful, but are backward in Ohio, and are being damaged somewhat by insects in Kentucky, where preparations for planting are in progress.

While the reports respecting fruit are more favorable they indicate that peaches have been extensively killed, although an excellent crop is promised in Southern Georgia and in a few other sections the outlook for peaches is somewhat improved.

EATS THE BOLL WEEVIL.

Discovery of Peculiar Bug by Government Entomologist.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Waco, Texas, May 2.—Charles Howard of the entomological bureau department of agriculture at Washington has been notified of the discovery in Fall county, Texas, of a peculiar bug which is destroying the boll weevil. The insect was found on a plantation near Waco.

As a result of Monday's municipal election Baltimore will spend an additional $13,000,000 in public improvements, the loans that will make up that amount having been the feature of the campaign. Of the amount named $10,000,000 will be used ot construct a modern sewerage system; $2,000,000 goes for street paying in the annexed district and $1,000,000 for an enlarged and improved system of parks. The majority for the different loans was from 7,000 to 10,000. The new city council will be Democratic in both branches.

Exposure to a sudden climatic change produces cold in the bead and catarrh is apt to follow. Provided with Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh. Price 50 cents at Druggists or Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York, will mail it. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflamation, cleanses and cures. Cream Balm quickly cures the cold. **

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Schedule in Effect Feb. 5, 1905.

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Stations.	No. 3.	No. 5.
Lv. Goldsboro	3 45 p m	8 00 a m
Lv. LaGrange	4 16 p m	8 28 a m
Lv. Kinston	4 40 p m	8 52 a m
Lv. Dover	5 02 p m	9 14 a m
Lv. Cove	5 16 p m	9 27 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	5 28 p m	9 37 a m
Ar. Newbern	5 45 p m	10 00 a m

Stations.	No. 7 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	5 55 p m
Lv. Riverdale	6 15 p m
Lv. Havelock	6 41 p m
Lv. Newport	6 47 p m
Ar. Morehead City	7 12 p m

Stations.	No. 7 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	10 10 a m
Lv. Riverdale	10 25 a m
Lv. Havelock	10 44 a m
Lv. Newport	11 00 a m
Ar. Morehead City	11 23 a m

WESTBOUND.

Stations.	No. 4	No. 6 (Accom)
Lv Morehead City	7 40 a m	4 30 p m
Lv. Newport	8 11 a m	4 57 p m
Lv. Havelock	8 27 a m	5 12 p m
Ar. New Bern	9 00 a m	5.39 p m
Lv. Riverdale	8 42 a m	5 45 p m

Stations.	No. 6
Lv. New Bern	9 15 a m
Lv. Tuscarora	9 37 a m
Lv. Cove	9 49 a m
Lv. Dover	10 03 a m
Lv. Kinston	10 27 a m
Lv. LaGrange	10 51 a m
Ar. Goldsboro	11 20 a m

Stations.	No. 8 (Accom)
Lv. New Bern	6 10 p m
Lv. Tuscarora	6 22 p m
Lv. Cove	6 44 p m
Lv. Dover	6 58 p m
Lv. Kinston	7 20 p m
Lv. LaGrange	7 42 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	8 10 p m

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14, 1905.

Began business September 1902.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$472,472 18
Demand loans	24,050 00
Due from banks	17,302 17
Gold coin	295 00
Furniture and fixtures	100 00
Silver coin	236 65
Cash items	3 77
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	1,016 00
Total	$516,575 69
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Profits and Loss	15,470 94
Unearned interest	2,500 00
Cashier's checks	159 00
Certified checks	25 00
Deposits	448,429 75
Total	$516,575 69

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, Milton Calder, cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20th day of March, 1905.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
ROBERT H. BELLAMY,
I. M. BEAR,
D. McEACHERN,
Directors.

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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE Atlantic National Bank at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$ 822,665 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	921 39
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	125,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits	77,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	16,000 00
Stocks, securities, &c.	36,856 00
Banking houses, furniture, and fixtures	20,000 00
Other real estate owned	10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	128,647 18
Due from State Banks and Bankers	104,710 91
Due from approved reserve agents	85,424 09
Checks and other cash items	150 00
Notes of other National Banks	12,575 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	253 80
Lawful Money Reserve in bank viz.	
Specie $18,021 00	
Legal tender nts. $32,396 00	50,417 00
Redemption fund with U. S Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	3,050 25
Total	$1,493,675 14
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	54,832 92
National Bank notes outstanding	125,000 00
Due to other National Banks	105 733 72
Due to State Banks and Bankers	92,425 76
Dividends unpaid	551 00
Individual deposits subject to check	715,815 05
Certified checks	904 97
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,411 72
United States deposits	77,000 00
Total	$1,493,675 14

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1905.

GEORGE SLOAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAS. H. CHADBOURN,
D. McEACHERN,
C. W. YATES,
Directors.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 16, 1905.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 42 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilming't'n	6 00 am	2 45 pm	6 00 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	9 50 am
Ar Charlest'n	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jacksville	.....	6 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Ar. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington.	8 50 a m	Ar. 8 00 p m
Ar. Fayettesville	12 15 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.
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To The Beach and Wrightsville.

In effect April 15, 1905.

Suburban Schedule (Daily except Sunday.)

Leave Front and Princess.	Leave the Beach.
6.30 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
*8.00 A. M.	8.45 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
1.00 P. M.	2.15 P. M.
2.00 P. M.	3.15 P. M.
3.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
*6.00 P. M.	6.45 P. M.
*7.30 P. M.	8.15 P. M.
	Lv. Wrightsville.
9.00 P. M.	Wrightsville only. 9.30 P. M.
*10.00 P. M.	10.30 P. M.

*Trains leaving Front and Princess at 8.00 A. M., 6.00, 7.30 and 10.00 P. M., will go to the Beach on request.

CITY SCHEDULE.

Regular City Cars.

Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets every 10 minutes beginning at 7.25 A. M., daily except Sunday. Sunday at 8.25 A. M. Last Brooklyn and Belt line cars leave Front and Princess streets at 12.05 midnight.

Hospital and Cemetery Cars.
(Without change).

Leave Front and Princess	Leave Cemetery
9.00 A. M.	9.30 A. M.
3.30 P. M.	3.45 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.
4.30 P. M.	4.45 P. M.
5.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.

A. C. L. Depot Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave A. C. L. Depot
10.00 A. M.	10.10 A. M.
5.40 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

S. A. L. Car.
(Without change.)

Leave Front and Princess	Leave S. A. L. Depot.
6.40 A. M.	7.00 A. M.
12.35 P. M.	12.45 P. M.
2.35 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
8.35 P. M.	8.45 P. M.

FREIGHT CAR.

Leave 9th and Orange Sts.	Leave the Beach.
4.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Thursday Morning, May 4.

WARM WIRELETS.

At yesterday's session of the Association of the Surgeons of the Southern Railway, at Chattanooga, Dr. Thos. B. Satterwhite, of Louisville, was elected president; Dr. J. H. Mitchell, of Vernon, Ills., first vice president, and Dr. J. W. Ray, of Woodstock, Ala., succeeded himself as secretary and treasurer.

Fire which broke out about 8 o'clock last night in the millinery department of the large dry-goods establishment of the J. T. Arnold Company, at Greenville, S. C., completely gutted the store. The stock which is valued at $60,000, is almost a complete loss, with about 50 per cent. insurance. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

General H. V. Boynton, president of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, has appointed General Andrew S. Burt, of Washington, D. C., the recording secretary of the society to fill the term of Colonel J. M. Steele, deceased. General Burt served on the staff of General McCook at Mill Springs, and subsequently upon the staff of General Rosecrans and General Thomas.

At Philadelphia yesterday the Sons of American Revolution concluded their business sessions with the election of officers for the ensuing year. General Francis Henry Appleton, of Massachusetts, defeated James Denton Hancock, of Pennsylvania, for the presidency after a spirited contest. A resolution was adopted asking Congress to make an appropriation for a monument to mark the grave of Geo. Wythe, in St. John's church yard, Richmond, Va. He was one of the signers of the declaration of Independence.

AFTER THE RAILROADS.

Alabama Commission Seeking to Revise General Tariffs.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Montgomery, Ala., May 3.—The Alabama Railroad Commission to-day began its investigation looking to a revision of general tariffs on all roads operating in this State.

Prominent officials of every other line were present at the hearing. The Commission to-day heard testimony of the Southern Railway, represented by L. Green, of Atlanta. He filed an answer to the proposition of a general revision of the tariff of that road, which purports to show that his company does not earn on inter-stae business in Alabama the legal rate of interest on its stocks, bonds and other securities properly assessable against the tariffic originating in this State. He was subjected to a long cross-examination by President B. B. Comer, of the commission, on all the commodities and articles in the different classifications of his road. In nearly all instances Mr. Green said that the reason rates are lower in Alabama than in Georgia, is that the Georgia Commission forced upon the railroads in that State much lower classifications for the articles than prevail anywhere else.

Adjournment was taken until tomorrow morning when examination of Southern Railway officials will continue.

SHOCKING DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Man and Wife Commit Suicide Upon Confession of Women.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Blackpool, Eng., May 3.—The bodies of Robert Rushton Shaw, an Englishman who formerly lived at Brunley and inherited a small fortune from his father, and his wife, Elizabeth, to whom he was married in Philadelphia about five years ago, were found in a field in the suburbs of this town early to-day. Both had been shot and there was a revolver besides the bodies. It is believed to be a case of double suicide, though no reason is known why they should have taken their lives.

The tragedy unfolds a pitful story. after five years of happy marriage, it is alleged, Shaw discovered a fortnight ago that his wife was involved in an intrigue two years before her marriage. According to the story he taxed her with the offence and as a result of her admission he told her to prepare immediately to sail for America, leaving their children at Blackpool. They started on Tuesday, seemingly reconciled, but Shaw's mother was suspicious and caused neighbors to follow them. Shots were heard and the bodies were discovered. Each was shot through the mouth, the indications being that he was by mutual agreement, the woman having carefully removed her hat and then placed it besides her husband's on the grass. A double ticket for New York, by the steamer Majesty was found in Shaw's pocket.

CASHIER SPEAR CONFESSES.

Sentenced to Seven Years For Complicity in Mrs. Chadwick's Deals.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Cleveland, May 3.—A. B. Spear, cashier of the closed Citizens' Bank, of Oberlin, to-day in the United States District Court, entered a plea of guilty to one count of the indictment charging him with making false entries in the bank's books. District Attorney Sullivan recommended that all other indictments against Spear, containing fifteen counts be nolled. Judge Taylor at once sentenced Spear to seven years imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary.

When Mrs. Chadwick was told about Spears' sentence she displayed little emotion and contented herself with remarking: "The poor man. I do not see what else he could have done. He got himself into trouble but it was through no fault of mine.'

She began to weep a little when reminded that she was charged with conspiracy on the same count to which Spear pleaded guilty. She protested tearfully that she was guilty of no conspiracy and innocent of any wrong doing.

ASCONDING CASHIER CAUGHT.

Henry G. Goll at Chicago Hotel Under Assumed Name.

Chicago, May 3.—Henry G. Goll, abscounding cashier of the First National Bank of Milwaukee, was arrested at the Dakota Hotel here this afternoon. He had been at the hotel four days and was registered under the name of A. C. Smith. Goll was arrested by detectives who had tracked Goll from Milwaukee to several towns in Illinois, then into Indiana, and finally to Chicago. The missing cashier was looking well when taken into custody today. His face was brown and ruddy as though he had been on a vacation. He made no protest when arrested. He said he was willing to go back to Milwaukee. He refused to be interviewed. The trio left for Milwaukee this afternoon.

Cuba Honor's Lee's Memory.

Havana, May 3.—In token of appreciation of the distinguished service and friendship for Cuba of the late General Fitzhugh Lee, the Senate and House to-day unanimously decired that a cable of condolence be cent to the family of General Lee.

NAN PATTERSON NOT ACQUITTED

Jury Failed to Agree on Verdict and Were Discharged This Morning

PRISONER WAS IN COLLAPSE

Judge Goff Charged the Jury Yesterday and they Went Out Just Before 1 P. M.—Demonstration for Show Girl.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York May 4.—Having failed to reach a verdict and declaring that they were hopelessly disagreed, the jury in the Nan Patterson case was formally discharged at 2:20 o'clock this morning.

At 1:30 o'clock this morning the jury in the case of Nan Patterson tried for the third time on the charge of murdering "Caesar" Young was called into the court-room by Recorder Goff. When the 12 men were in their places and the court officials had all arrived, the Recorded asked why the defendant had not been been brought into court.

A deputy sheriff replied that she had been feeling ill and had retired. but was then being dressed. After a wait of twelve minutes, Miss Patterson appeared looking pale and in a highly nervous state.

"Gentlemen, have you been able to each an agreement?" asked the Recorder of the jury.

"No sir," replied the foreman.

"Is there any question of law or of evidence in which I can instruct you? Is there any way in which the court can help you?

The foreman looked for an instant at his fellow members of the jury, then turned to the Recorder and said:

"No sir, I dont believe you can help us."

"Then you will retire to reconsider the matter."

The jury filed out and the court-room was cleared. Recorder Goff remained in his chamber ready to receive a verdict if rendered, or to further instruct the jury.

The jury was given the case at 1 o'clock yesterday and after deliberating twelve hours, came into court at 1:30 this morning and informed Recorder Goff that they had failed to reach a verdict. The jury declined the Recorder's offer to aid them by advice on any point of law regarding which they might be in doubt and were sent back to continue their deliberations.

At 2.20 o'clock the jury again entered the court room where the Recorder and other court officials were in waiting and the foreman announced that they had failed to agree on a verdict. Upon this announcemet Recorder Goff formally discharged the twelve men composing the third jury that has considered this celebrated case. It is understood that a majority of the jury were for acquittal but in what proportion they stood cannot be ascertained. Miss Patterson collapsed on the jury's announcement and fainted dead away. She was assisted from the court by one of her counsel and several court attendants and revived in an ante room.

On the second return of the jury, Recorder Goff made a personal appeal to the foreman to endeavor again to reach a verdict. The foreman entered the jury box and polled the jurors in open court, but they were not able to agree. The Recorder then asked them again if there was not some point in law or something he could do by which they might be able to reach a verdict, but the jurors remained steadfast and finally declared their verdict a disagreement. Recorder Goff before dismissing the jury cautioned them not to tell how they stood.

Future procedure in the case is uncertain. It has been intimated by the district attorney's office that the people probably would not attempt another trial. Should this be the case, Miss Patterson would be released either on nominal bail or under her own recognition and the indictment eventually be quashed.

Waiting for Verdict.

New York, May 3.—With the jury which is considering her case still out, Nan Patterson sits to-night in her cell in the Tombs buoyed up by the hope that at the end of their deliberation the twelve men will agree to a verdict of not guilty. Miss Patterson's hopes are based partly on rumors which were current about the criminal court building this afternoon that the first ballots taken in the jury room were decidedly in her favor. The jury has had the case since shortly after 1 o'clock to-day.

During the afternoon the jury sent to the court rooms for articles of clothing worn by "Caesar" Young at the time he met his death, and for the skeleton in which was exhibited during the trial by the prosecution in its endeavor to show that the victim of the tragedy could not have inflicted the wound himself.

The jury were taken out to dinner at 8:30 o'clock. They were surrounded by a platoon of policemen and followed by a great throng. As they made their way toward a restaurant the jurymen were greeted by cries: "Set her free! Set Nan free! She deserves it!"

It was 10:50 o'clock when the jury returned to the criminal court building after dinner and resumed its consideration of the case.

The Judge's Charge.

Recorder Goff in his charge to the jury said:

"You must not think that, because of the humble position of this woman, you should not give her the same consideration as if she occupied a more exalted position in society. Whatever her position she is entitled to the same legal rights as the most prominent and most conspicuous. If there be a reasonable doubt in this case on the evidence this doubt must be thrown into the balance for the defendant. A danger lies in the remarks of counsel which might take your mind off the direct issue. You must avoid this danger."

The Recorder described the two dangers of murder and manslaughter in the first and second degree, which, he said, he apprehended by the request to charge, was though by counsel to be applicable in the case, and proceeded:

"I understand that there is no claim on the part of the defense that if the defendant committed this homicide, it was either justifiable or excusable. I also understand that the defense claims that the crime was murder in the first degree or nothing. But you are not bound to accept the arguments of counsel as to the nature of this crime. You are the judges of the facts, if there was murder, and in what degree. The crucial question is "Did the man kill himself or did this defendant fire the fatal shot?"

"If the accused fails to take advantage of her privilege to make a defense, under advice of her counsel, here failure to do so must in now way be held against her. Much has been said relating to the motive which actuated this defendant," he continued. "The prosecution claims that she shot the man because he had cast her off as his mistress. But it is not necessary to prove motive to convict of murder. If it is shown that a motive existed then it tends to support the circumstances. But to do this, motive must be proved, not imagined."

Before giving the case to the jury, Recorded Goff ruled on the requests to charge interposed in Miss Patterson's behalf. He refused to submit one of the requests, saying it would be a direction to the jury to acquit the defendant. He told the jury, however, that they might disregard the testimony of Julia Smith, if they thought it right to do so.

He refused to charge requests concerning Pawn Broker Stern, and the failure of the defnse to call J. Morgan Smith. He said that claims on either side were not to be considered as evidence. After going over the requests, one by one, Recorder Goff told the jury it was not necessary that there should be direct and positive evidence as to everything and it was sufficient that the facts be proven.

"If you believe that it was a physical impossibility so far as the nature of the wound is concerned for Young to have shot himself then that is a fact," said he, "but you must remember that one inference cannot be proven by another inference. If yon oelieve the defendant fired the shot without deliberation or intent to kill, but in a moment of passion, then you may find her guilty of one of the other degrees of manslaughter. In reaching your conclusion, you must not be swayed by sympathy or other influences."

THE RUSSIAN SQUADRON

Japs Get Rumor of Their Destination —France Suspected of Aiding Russians——Warships Raised.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

St. Petersburg, May 3.—The admiralty here professes ignorance as to whether Admiral Nebogatoff and Admiral Rojestvensky have joined forces, but the impression prevails in naval circles that the junction has not been effected. Indeed, some doubt is expressed whether Nebogatoff's division has yet entered the China sea.

The admiralty officials vigouously deny any intention of sending the protected cruiser Askold, and the torpedo boat destroyed Grozovoi interned at Shanghai, to join Admiral Rojestvensky and some resent ment is shown against the United States and Great Britain for having officially warned China upon the basis of Japanese representations in this connection.

Japs Get Rumor About Russia Fleet.

Tokio, May 3.—It is rumored that the destination of Vice Admiral Rojestvensky's fleet is Petropaviovski, on the peninsula of Kamchatka, instead of Vcldivostok.

It is said that the Russians have been collecting coal and stores at Petropaviovski. It is regarded as improbable that the Russians intend to use Petropaviovski to any great extent because its defense from land is considered impossible.

FAYETTEVILLE BANK CASES.

Trial of Messrs. Haigh and Myrover Continued Until August.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer has the following with reference to the Bank of Fayetteville:

"When the embezzlement cases against Messrs. John C. Haigh and G. G. Myrover were called this morning, counsel for the defense moved to continue, which was granted and Wednesday of the next term (August) set for their trial.

"In moving to continue, counsel based their motion on the ground that, having been furnished with a bill of particulars only yesterday at noon, they were unable to get ready for trial at this term; that the bill in most instances failed to give date of alleged defalcations; that the books of the bank had not been open to their inspection, and that they desired the privilege of having an examination of same made by an expert, so that they expected to prove that their clients were entirely guiltless. Counsel said that the defenses of Messrs. Haigh and Myrover were not antagonistic, and that there was not a reasonable man in town who believed defendants guilty of embezzlement, and at most that their accounts may have been overdrawn.

"The prosecution announced its readiness, and said it had witnesses here from Philadelphia and South Carolina that it might be unable to have in attendance again. Also, the solicitor said he was authorized to announce that the books of the bank were open to the inspection of defendants at all times. Counsel said in all justice if the case was continued that it ought to be agreed that the State could take the depositions of witneses outside of the State.

"His Honor said he took it that defendants were men of character, otherwise they would not have occupied the high positions they had, and that in a charge of this kind an investigation should be pursued with diligence. Owing to the enormity of the offence, if the defendants are guilty, they should have every opportunity to prepare their defense that is consistent with justice, and that when the trial shall have been concluded the public will feel that everything possible has been done. It is nothing but the bank's duty to look after the interests of its depositors, but defendants should have every opportunity to prove their innocence.

"An order of continuance as above was then entered, and it was agreed that counsel and defendants would sign an agreement for the State to take the depositions of witnesses outside the jurisdiction of the court. The defense said they expected to take depositions and an order was made allowing defendants to have expert examinations of the bank's books.

"The bonds were renewed and defendants discharged for the term."

(By Associated Press.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 3.—The case charging a total embezzlement of some $28,000 by former officials of the Bank of Fayetteville, Cashier John C. Haigh and Teller George G. Myrover, came up in the Superior Court again to-day for trial was postponed until the August term of court. The defendants renewed their bonds. The plea for continuance was made on the ground that the bill of particulars furnished failed to give the date of many of the alleged defalcations, and that they had not had sufficient time to prepare defence.

LYNCHERS TO BE TRIED.

Five South Carolinians Will Have to Face Jury.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Orangeburg, S. C., May 3.—J. H. Palmer, S. A. Eadon ,Penny Martin, Andrew Martin and Benjamin Martin, the five accused of the Eutawville lynching case, who have been confined to the Berkeley county jail, were arraigned to open court to-day. Attorneys for the defense moved to quash the indictment on the ground of irregularities, but the Judge over-ruled the motion. The accused pleaded not not guilty and next Wednesday was the day set for the trial, after which the accused were remanded to jail. H. C. Edwards, who is named in the true bill found by the grand jury, was not arraigned, having confessed, and he will be used as a state witness.

VIOLENCE RIFE IN STRIKE CITY

Brutal Mobs Commit Murderous Assaults on People Without Provocation.

STATE TROOPS REQUESTED

Citizens Appalled Over Situation and Call on Governor to Save City from Anarchy—Seventy Terribly Injured Yesterday

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Chicago, May 3.—Rioting in the streets to-day in connection with the Teamsters' strike was so prolonged and so fierce that many of the leading business men have concluded that there will be neither peace in the city nor safety for their interests until the State militia has been called out to restore order.

A committee of members of the Employers' Association left for Springfield to-day to confer with Governor Deneen, and to request him to give orders to the State troops. The labor unions have several representatives at the State capital and it is likely that they will also be heard before any action is taken by the Governor. Chief-of-Police O'Neill says he is confident that he has control of the situation and can keep peace in the city.

Mayor Dunne supports him in this view and has declared that in his opinion the emergency has not arisen requiring the presence of troops.

On the other hand, business men point to the long list of injured which marked the rioting of yesterday and the greater number of persons who were hurt to-day, and declare that these lists of injured are sufficient proof that the police department is not sufficiently strong to cope with the situation. No complaint is made against the police department, for the officers have dispersed every mob with which they have come in contact and have guarded wagons night and day with the greatest vigilance. But despite the utmost efforts of the police fighting continues in the streets and is, if possible, more vicious on each succeeding day.

While policemen have been able to dispose mobs and guard the wagons they have not been able to prevent the many attacks that are made on non-union men in the business portion of the city alone. The situation, business men say, will be ten fold worse than express wagons and retail delivery wagons are sent to remote parts of the city.

The first rifle shot fired during the strike went whizzing through a crowded thoroughfare to-day. The shot was fired by a guard on a wagon of the United States Express Company while it was passing through a crowd of strike sympathizers at State and Randolph streets.

In driving past the corner, the driver of the wagon reined his horses suddenly. A guard within the wagon poked his head instantly from the wagon and seeing a street car conductor stooping as though to throw a missel, pulled the rifle trigger without the slightest hesitation. No person was hit, and it was said later, that the conductor, who norrowly escaped death, was intent solely on his legitimate work of "throwing a switch."

The request of the Employers, made today, that the police be allowed to ride on their wagons, was refused by the chief of police. Positive orders were issued that under no circumstances must the officers mount the wagons and they will continue to march abreast of the wagons on the streets, or keep along with them while walking on the sidewalks. The order, Chief-of-police O'Neil explained, was simply intended to ward off criticism.

One hundred and fifty wagons of the seven express companies went to and fro across the city to-day, and in many instances completely ungarded and at no time under the supervision of more than one or two policemen. Every wagon carried a guard, armed with rifles and double barreled shot guns. The guns were in plain evidence throughout the day and no attempt was made to interfer with any of the express wagons.

The trucks of the Scott Transfer Company were also guarded in the same manner. Men carrying rifles were on every wagon and around their wastes were belts loaded with cartridges. The company transacted its business as though there had been no strike against it. Mr. Scott tonight was elated over the success of the day.

Both sides made gains to-day and the result leaves them about as evenly balanced as before. The accession to the ranks of the teamsters was made when a strike was declared against the coal firm of Crear, Clinch and Company. This concern employs several hundred men and delivers coal to a large number of of the most prominent office buildings in the city. One of their drivers was discharged for refusing to make deliveries and the rest walked out at once.

The gain of the Employers' Association was made when the members of the Hay and Grain Dealers' Association, which employs 1,200 teams, declared that deliveries would be made to any place in the city irrespective of strike conditions. If drivers refused to obey orders, they will be discharged.

The mobs that filled the sreets in the strike quarters to-day were larger and uglier in disposition than those of yesterday. There was fighting in all parts of the downtown quarter throughout the day and a dozen times policemen were compelled to use their clubs and wagons guards, who are armed with heavy canes, swung them whenever whenever they were attacked, or though an assault fas about to be made. In many cases, these guards were not careful whom they hit and several persons were knocked down simply because they were nearest to a guard carrying a hickory club. On the other hand, the strikers and their friends were equally indiscriminate in assaulting people. There were a number of instances where mobs boarded street cars and wantonly attacked people riding in them, giving as a reason later that they were strike-breakers, when, in fact, they had nothing to do with the strike. W. Jamison and Edward Boswell, the latter a negro medical student, were two sufferers of this class. The mob that boarded a State streets car in which Jamison and Boswell were riding dragged the two men off and beat them unmercifully. Walter Norton, a negro while passing Van-Buren and Market streets was proclaimed to be a strike-breaker and beaten almost to death. Up to 7 o'clock to-night a score of men had been taken to hospitals with all sorts of injuries.

Besides, there were fully two score who were injured in the various fights of the day and whose names could not be learned. In one fight at Harrison street and Michigan avenue, four men were knocked down by wagon guards and carried off by their friends. Similar occurrences were the rule whenever the police charged into a mob and the number of injured tonight is probably close to seventy-five.

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